

May 2012 Change Cycle

The CMS Net applications will be down from 5:00 p.m., Friday, May 18th until 5:00 p.m., Saturday, May 19th to implement changes included in the May 2012 change cycle further described below:

CMS Net Web:

Correspondence

GHPP G-41A correspondence will display an effective date 30 days from date letter was sent.

CMS Net Legacy:

Patient Registration

An error message will display when an invalid diagnosis exists on the Patient Registration screen, Medical Eligibility screen and the MTP Medical Information screen. This change will require the user to update the diagnosis before saving the record.

Insurance

Last updated by and date has been added to each individual insurance segment. These fields identify the user who added or modified each individual insurance record.

Users will be disallowed from entering a start date before patient's DOB in the Insurance segment. In addition, the insurance start date may be in the future up to the first day of the month 2 months in the future and the insurance end date may be in the future up to the last day of the month 11 months in the future. These records will not post to the MEDS Health Insurance Segment until the date becomes current. All active insurances will be displayed on the face sheets and registration.

The scope of coverage will be display only on the Insurance screen. This data is coming directly from MEDS Carrier Master File and may not be modified by our agency.

Users will not be able to add an in active carrier in the insurance screen. If a record has historical term date, users will be allowed to bypass blank policy number field to access next carrier.

Client Eligibility

User will have the ability to enter **and remove** a future closure. The future closure may be removed by simply deleting the close date from the Date Closed field on the Client Eligibility screen.

New changes made to the Client Eligibility screen for County Administrator - Plus.

In Client Eligibility screen, County Administrator -Plus and State System Administrator may restore an active case back to its previous status or previous period using the two new action options add to the action menu: Restore previous period and Restore previous status.

Restore previous period: This option is available if there is no client eligibility gap from the previous case closure. This option will allow a user to delete the current client eligibility entry and reopen previous client eligibility period. For example, remove current aid code to restore the previous aid code to active status as if an aid code closure was not done.

Restore previous status: This option is available when restoring a case back to its previous status. For example: restore case from Active status to Pending or Reopen Pending. **Note**: If any authorize SAR exists, a warning message (*The case may not be changed back to Pending, at least 1 SAR was authorized during this period.*) will display and case cannot be restore back to previous status.

Delete previous denial: County Administrator -Plus and State System Administrator may remove previous denial using the @ sign. **Instructions:** Tab down to the County field in the Client Eligibility History section, use <F7> to clear the field and input @ in place of county number, then press enter, and save the screen.

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